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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:)	Group Art Unit: 3679
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Kelly Molenaar)	
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Serial Number: 10/050,834)	Examiner: Garcia
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Filed: January 15, 2002)	
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Title: PREMIUM BALL)	Response to Non-Compliant
JOINT AND SYSTEM)	Amendment
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Attorney Docket: MSH – 203RCE)	April 9, 2009

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the telephone call from Examiner Garcia with regard to non-compliance with a response to a Non-Compliant amendment notice, the applicant hereby submits this letter and paragraphs to replace certain paragraphs in the specification.

Amendments were made to accommodate the changes in the drawings.

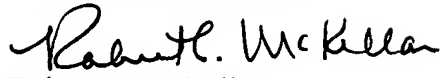
Specifically, on page 4, line 19, "100-100" was deleted and -- 6-6 -- was added. "3" was amended to -- 4 --, by deleting the number 3 and adding the number 4 and the phrase "and also showing the ball therein" was deleted. This paragraph begins at line 18 of page 4 of the specification and can be found on page 1 attached hereto.

In addition, "200-200" was deleted from line 22 and -- 8-8 -- was added. This paragraph begins at line 21 of page 4 of the specification and can be found on page 2 attached hereto.

On page 7, at line 18, "100-100" was deleted and -- 6-6 -- was added and "3" was amended to -- 4-4 --. This paragraph begins at line 17 of page 7 of the specification and can be found on page 3 attached hereto.

Also, at line 25, "200-200" was deleted and -- 8-8 -- was added. This paragraph begins at line 22 of page 7 of the specification and can be found on page 4 attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert L. McKellar". The signature is fluid and written in black ink.

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